Breezy Everyday **USER GUIDE** SUNRISE MEDICAL

CANES / WALKING STICKS
INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE – JANUARY, 2013

Model Nos:	BE1674, BE9889, BE1665P
Maximum User Weight:	100kg (Do not exceed this weight)
Model Nos:	BE72092, BE30341, BE30346, BE2620L
Maximum User Weight:	113kg (Do not exceed this weight)
Model Nos:	BE1657, BE1655, BE70025, BE3006, BE3004, BE3001, BE1711
Maximum User Weight:	127kg (Do not exceed this weight)
Model Nos:	BE71066
Maximum User Weight:	225kg (Do not exceed this weight)

INTRODUCTION & RECOMMENDED USE

The purpose of a walking stick is to facilitate balancing while walking.

PLEASE NOTE:
These are our recommendations but should be checked with your physiotherapist.

WALKING WITH THE STICK
Walk in a normal manner placing the stick on the ground at the same time as the affected leg.

Remember the stick should normally be held in the hand opposite the affected leg.

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GETTING UP
The stick should be near the arm of the chair. Lean forward and with the hands on the arm of the chair, push forward and stand up using the stick for support.

SITTING DOWN
When returning to the chair, turn round, feel the chair behind the legs, place your hands on the chair arms, bend forward and lower yourself gently into the chair. The stick can be held or rested nearby.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING

Please follow these instructions carefully.

WARNING - Important safety information for hazards that might cause serious injury.
CAUTION - Information for preventing damage to the product.
NOTE - Information to which you should pay special attention.

WARNING
Please read carefully before use. Failure to comply may result in severe injury.

WARNING
Ensure all detent buttons are properly engaged in position prior to use.

WARNING
Do not exceed the maximum weight capacity listed on your walking stick.

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE ABOVE INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURIES.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

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GENERAL SAFETY

1. Use a chair with high seat and arms to help you sit and stand up with ease.
2. Remove obstacles such as loose rugs, draught excluders and worn floor coverings.
3. Ensure lighting in hallways and stairways is adequate.
4. Wear flat supportive shoes.
5. Avoid wet floors.
6. Beware of outdoor hazards including uneven surfaces, wet leaves and ice.
7. Do not store this product in temperatures below freezing.
8. Take special care if carrying a bag o r similar package.
9. All equipment should be regularly inspected for any damage o r significant signs of wear.

Check for:

Bent or damaged tubes or cracks at the tube joints.
Both buttons of the spring clips are present o r horseshoe clips are not loose or worn.
Elongated adjustment
holes. Loose handles.
Smooth, worn or split ferrules (rubber tips).
Replace where necessary.

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CORRECT ADJUSTMENT

When the stick is measured correctly, the user should be able to maintain an upright posture with the elbow slightly flexed. In this way, body weight is taken through the stick by pushing down on the stick when walking. Your stick will have either a horseshoe or spring-pin type adjustment as shown below.

Horseshoe Clip Adjustment

1. Remove the clip by grasping it between thumb and forefinger and pulling out.
2. Slide the leg in or out to the ideal position.
3. Push the clip back firmly into the hole.
4. Check the clip is fully located before use

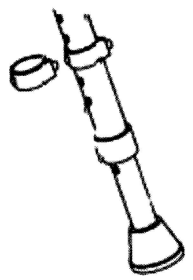

FIG. 1

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Spring Pin Adjustment

1. Press the two buttons in.
2. Push the leg as if to shorten.
3. Turn the leg slightly.
4. Extend the leg to the required position, turn and re-locate buttons into the appropriate holes.
5. Check pins a re fully located before use.

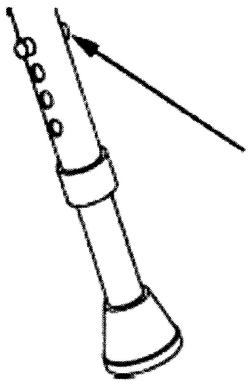

FIG. 2

CLEANING / MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning with a mild detergent or disinfectant is recommended. Rinse in warm water after cleaning. **DO NOT** use bleach or any solvents (such as lighter fluid). **DO NOT** use abrasive powders or scouring pads.

AVAILABILITY OF SPARE PARTS

Please contact your local dealer.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

BE1674 – BREEZY EVERYDAY CANE, FOAM SWAN NECK W/ STRAP

- Height adjustable support stick fitted with ultra-safe horseshoe clips for quick & easy adjustability.
- Product Weight: 365g
- Ferrule: D18
- Height Adjustment: 730 - 985mm (29 - 39")
- Maximum User Weight: 100kg

WARRANTY

Your Breezy Everyday product is warranted to be free of defects in materials and workmanship. This warranty is limited to the original consumer purchaser.

- "We" means Sunrise Medical.
- "You" means the consumer of the Goods within the meaning of the Australian Consumer Law.
- "Place of Purchase" means the authorised retailer, distributor or wholesaler that sold you the Goods in Australia.
- "Goods" means the product/s accompanied by this warranty and purchased in Australia.

Australia Only: Our Goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and for compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the Goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.

In addition to any rights and remedies you may have under other laws relating to the Goods, we provide you with the following warranty:-

1. If, during the first 12 months of use from the date of purchase, or during the first 3 months if the Goods have been used commercially (Warranty Period), there is a defect in the Goods due to improper workmanship or material, we will replace the Goods without charge. Any replacement product is warranted only for the time remaining on the original Warranty Period.

2. We are not obliged to replace the Goods under clause 1 if the Goods have been improperly used, operated, repaired, damaged, abused, installed or tampered with by unauthorised persons, or not maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. If the Goods consist of a number of accessories, we may choose to only replace the defective accessory.

3. The warranty provided under clause 1 is limited to replacement of the Goods only. To the extent permitted by law, we exclude liability for:-

a) Consequential loss or any other loss or damage caused to property or persons arising from any cause whatsoever;
b) Breakables such as glass and ceramic items
c) Damage to consumable items; and
d) Damage arising from normal wear and tear

4. In order to claim under warranty you must, within the Warranty Period, return the Goods to the place of purchase, together with the original proof of purchase, and this warranty page including the details below.

5. This warranty does not cover the cost of claiming under the warranty or transporting the Goods to and from the Place of Purchase.

6. This warranty only applies to Goods purchased in Australia. **Please consult your local selling dealer for all warranty issues.**

12 Month Replacement Warranty

Your Purchase Record
(Please complete)

Place of Purchase: _____

Date of Purchase: _____

Model / Product Number: _____

Attach a copy of the purchase receipt here.

Please don't return purchase record until you are making a claim.

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